TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 2053 - SB 1788

March 12, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates the licensing requirement for persons competing in a Tennessee Athletic Commission (TAC)-sanctioned Olympic organization event, thus allowing such persons to retain amateur status.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenue - \$2,600/Tennessee Athletic Commission

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Commerce and Insurance (TDCI), athletes competing in TAC-sanctioned Olympic organization events currently pay a \$25 licensing fee and \$50 application fee every two years. TDCI anticipates that approximately 70 athletes will be exempted from the licensing requirement. This will result in a recurring decrease in state revenue of \$2,625 {[(70 athletes x (\$25 licensing fee + \$50 application fee)] / 2 years}.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1011, all regulatory boards and commissions are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. The Tennessee Athletic Commission had closing balances of \$47,060 in FY08-09 and \$68,990 in FY09-10.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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